

ANTICIPATE TONG WAR.

New York Police Fear Outbreak in Chinese Quarters.

New York, Sept. 13.—Fearing that another Tong war is about to break out in Chinatown, scores of additional policemen have been assigned to that small district so that now there is an officer, patrolman or a detective every few feet. The shooting of Kee Wah, a Hip Sing Tong leader, by Lee Wah of the On Leong Tong, is believed to have shattered the peace agreement which these Oriental secret societies entered into some time ago.

The shooting of Kee Wah followed the indictment of four On Leong members a few days ago on charges of complicity in the murder of Bow Kum, a Chinese slave girl, who was found stabbed to death in her room on August 15. The Tip Sings were accused of having furnished the testimony.

RIDES ON COW CATCHER

Ex-President Roosevelt Gets to Nairobi Ahead of Train.

Nairobi, Sept. 13.—On Thursday, August 5, Colonel Roosevelt and his son Kermit traveled to Nairobi by the ordinary passenger train of Saturday, July 24. In spite of the cool weather, Mr. Roosevelt rode on the cow catcher.

On Thursday, the 29th, Colonel Roosevelt and Kermit attended the race meeting and Kermit rode in several of the races. Later they were entertained at dinner by the stewards of the Turf club, with Lord Delamere in the chair.

On Friday Colonel Roosevelt and his son were entertained at luncheon by the manager of the National Bank of India, Mr. Lawrence. The following Sunday Colonel Roosevelt attended the Presbyterian church and gave the first sermon to the Y. M. C. A. of East Africa.

On Monday he attended the installation of officers of Lodge Harmony, the English Masonic lodge of East Africa.

On Tuesday Colonel Roosevelt and Kermit were entertained at a public banquet. The governor was in the chair. After toasts to the king and president, the governor proposed the health of Colonel Roosevelt which was enthusiastically received with Highland musical honors.

WEAVERS ON A STRIKE.

One Thousand Employees at Fall River Mills Walk Out.

Fall River, Mass., Sept. 13.—One thousand weavers employed at the Fall River cotton mills did not report for work today in accordance with their announced intention of striking for an increase in wages. There is a possibility that all the departments of the six mills here may close down throwing 5,000 operatives out of work.

Later all six mills composing the plants were shut down. Five thousand operatives are thus temporarily thrown out of work.

The weavers' absence so hampered the other departments that the management decided to close the entire plant. The plant is controlled by M. C. D. Borden. Borden at present is in New York.

Saco, Maine, Sept. 13.—After three weeks' idleness, the 2,200 employees of the York mill of this town, thrown out of employment by the strike of 150 weavers, returned to work today. The weavers returned on the promise of increased wages.

ACQUIT WIRE TAPPERS.

E. B. Saylor and W. H. Smith Found Not Guilty by a Jury.

Pittsburg, Sept. 13.—E. B. Saylor, formerly local superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph company, and W. H. Smith, a turner, were acquitted by a jury today on charges of conspiracy in connection with the wire tapping scandal prosecuted by the Chicago Board of Trade. It had been alleged the wires of the Western Union had been tapped and the market quotations sold illegally.

The jury reached a sealed verdict Friday night, which was not opened until today.

W. H. Thompson, an electrician, also indicted, was ordered acquitted by the court.

A BUILDER—NOT A WRECKER.

Chicago Pastor's Tribute to the Late Edward H. Harriman.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—In his sermon to the First Congregational church, Rev. Dr. W. A. Bartlett referred to the death of E. H. Harriman in these words:

"There is a tragic pathos in the death of the great railroad manipulator. He was the railroad genius of his age. His mind had almost superhuman strength; and now, in the fullness of his life, with the world of

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traffic in his hands and almost unlimited power at his disposal, comes the summons which could not be disobeyed.

"I would not say a word of detraction about this brilliant career nor attempt to strain a point to draw a moral. What he has done, he has done. He was a builder and not a wrecker, and he added to the vital forces of the land. He made himself rich, but not at the expense of his fellowmen. That is much to say."

FALL PROVED FATAL.

Pioneer Lumber Dealer of Chicago Succumbs to Injuries.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—Turlington Walker Harvey, one of Chicago's pioneer lumbermen and at one time the greatest retail lumber dealer in the world, died yesterday in a hospital in Littleton, N. M. of injuries caused by a fall six weeks ago while entering a ferry boat in Jersey City, N. J. years Mr. Harvey had lived in Marietta, Ohio, but more recently in New York City. He was 74 years old and was born in Silem, N. Y. He came to Chicago in 1854, where he obtained employment as foreman in a saw factory. In 1859 he engaged in the lumber business with H. B. Lamb. He bought his partner out ten years later. He purchased large tracts of timber lands and built boats, cars and saw mills.

In 1878 Mr. Harvey built in Michigan the first logging railroad ever constructed to transport logs from the camps to the streams and mills. He founded the town of Harvey, Ill., a suburb of Chicago.

He was officer and director in several large manufacturing and banking firms.

Mr. Harvey's body will be brought to Chicago for burial in Graceland cemetery.

NEW TARIFF COMMISSION

President Taft Places Yale Man at Head.

Beverly, Mass., Sept. 13.—President Taft has announced the appointment of the new tariff commission as follows: Prof. Henry C. Emery of Yale, chairman.

James B. Reynolds of Boston, assistant secretary of the treasury.

Alvin H. Sanders of Chicago, editor and publisher of the *Economist* and *Gazette*.

The board is authorized to employ experts to investigate foreign and domestic tariffs.

The announcement was made by the president after a conference with Secretary MacVeagh.

The new tariff commission or board, which President Taft named today, is to assist him in the execution of the new tariff law with especial reference to applying the maximum and minimum clauses to nations which are unfriendly in their tariff relations with the United States.

In announcing the selection of this new board authorized by the Payne tariff bill, the following statement was given out at the executive offices:

"The president and the secretary of the treasury have agreed upon the plan that these gentlemen are to constitute the board and are to be given authority to employ such special experts as may be needed in the investigation of the foreign and domestic tariff."

W. C. T. U. TO MEET.

Annual Convention of First District Opens There Tomorrow.

The annual convention of the First District Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the First Congregational church, the sessions commencing tomorrow afternoon and lasting until Thursday noon. The first hour, Tuesday afternoon, will be occupied by a consecration service, appointment of committees, and reports of county presidents. This will be followed by an address on child study by Mrs. Fannie Pearson, a discussion in regard to the part the Loyal Temperance Legion should have in Christian work, and "A Half Hour with the L. T. A." with Mrs. McChuney leading.

Governor Stubbs and Mayor Green during the evening will welcome the visitors to the city. The speakers of the evening will be President Frank K. Sanders of Washburn, Rev. Dr. F. N. Lynch, R. F. Deever, Mrs. W. S. Sloo, Mrs. Lila Day Monroe, Mrs. Margaret Hill McCarter, Mrs. Emma J. Sharf, Assistant Attorney General John Marshall and Clad Hamilton.

GRAIN DEALERS TO MEET

Will Be Guests of Chicago Board of Trade Last of Week.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—Representative grain dealers and brokers from all over the United States and Canada will gather in Chicago on Friday and Saturday of this week as the guests of the Chicago Board of Trade.

The occasion is the first assemblage of grain exchanges and the object is to establish harmonious action on the vital matters of affecting operations of exchanges.

It is expected that a general organization will be formed and a representative executive committee placed in charge.

LONG ISLAND HOTEL BURNS.

Seventy-Five Guests Have Narrow Escape From Burning Building.

Edgemere, L. I., Sept. 13.—In a fire which destroyed the Holmeshurst Inn, early today 75 guests and 20 employees experienced narrow escapes. The fire, which started in the basement, spread so rapidly that the entire first floor was ablaze before the guests were given the alarm. A half dozen guests, among them two women, leaped from a second story balcony, but were not seriously hurt.

An elevator boy ran his car until flames stopped the car. The building was valued at \$75,000.

Several of the guests at the inn could not be found after the fire, but are believed to have found shelter in neighboring cottages. In the opinion of the firemen no lives were lost.

Mrs. Boles Goes Home. Mrs. Walter G. Boles, wife of the captain of the Topeka baseball team, who has been at Bethesda hospital for the past two weeks, has recovered from her recent illness sufficiently to leave her home. In company with her mother, she will leave tonight for Temple, Texas, where she will remain until the close of the baseball season, when with her husband she will return to Fort Worth, where Mr. Boles practices law in the winter.

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The greatest sale of high-grade pianos Kansas has ever seen will be held next week. Used pianos—reduced pianos and brand new pianos will be ruthlessly sacrificed to make room for our constantly arriving new stock. We need the room. We positively must rid our floors, at least of all our used pianos. Quick clearance is our object—the prices make it possible. We're selling such well known makes as Story & Clark, Schiller, Crown, Knabe, etc. at prices others ask for trashy instruments. Some of them are only slightly used, some are last year's models but yet new, others have been used for several years, but every one is truly a genuine bargain.

Attend This MAMMOTH PIANO SALE and the State Fair This Week---Save Enough on the One to Pay the Expenses of the Other.

Out of town buyers: You cannot do better than come to Topeka this week. You can get a piano for half what it will cost you at home and more extensive selection to choose from. Combine your business with pleasure and make money at the same time.

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Read These Great Offers:

\$125 buys a \$350 CROWN used Upright Grand, English oak case, fret panels, in fine condition, three strings, overstrung bass, well known make.
PAY \$1.25 WEEKLY.

\$135 buys a \$300 STARR used Upright Grand, ebony case, fret panels, three pedals, this is a big bargain.
PAY \$1.25 WEEKLY.

\$190 buys a \$850 ESTEY used Upright Grand, Circassian walnut case, beautiful sweet tone, for which this make is known.
PAY \$1.50 WEEKLY.

\$210 buys a \$325 WERNER used Upright Grand, oak case, continuous high, three strings, ivory keys and ebony sharps.
PAY \$1.50 WEEKLY.

\$285 buys a \$350 STORY & CLARK used Upright Grand. This is the best known piano sold in this territory, and it is known as the best piano sold here.
PAY \$2.00 WEEKLY.

\$95 buys a \$250 used Upright Grand Heller, walnut veneered case, ivory keys, full iron plate, a splendid practice instrument for beginners. Come in and see this big bargain.
PAY \$1.25 WEEKLY.

\$265 buys a \$340 used SCHILLER Upright Grand, oak case, latest design, little used.
PAY \$1.75 WEEKLY.

\$185 buys a \$300 used BRADLEY Upright, bell metal plates, has a very sweet mellow tone, so much desired. Come and take this.
PAY \$1.25 WEEKLY.

\$85 buys a \$350 BEATTY used Upright Grand, of sweet tone and good action, small panels, ebony case, overstrung bass, ivory keys, etc. Nowhere at any time could you get so much value for such a price.
PAY \$1.25 WEEKLY.

\$100 buys a \$250 used Cowan Upright, mahogany case, large size, full iron plate, have three string—a big bargain.
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\$165 buys a \$225 GILBERT used Upright Grand, mahogany veneered case, slightly checked, with good tone scale and easy action, late design.
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KILLS A JANITOR.

Wells Detweiler, Brother of Former Head of Elks, Commits Murder.

Harrisburg, Pa., Sept. 13.—Thomas Dwyer, janitor of the Owls' Nest club was shot and killed in the club rooms early today by Wells Detweiler. The latter is a brother of the late Mead D. Detweiler, who was head of the Order of Elks in America.

SCHOOL TEACHERS ARE TARDY.

Having Too Good a Time in Europe to Return on Time.

New York, Sept. 13.—Many young women school teachers from western cities, who arrived on the steamship *Calabria*, from Europe, are today telegraphing excuses to their respective school boards, why they were detained

a week beyond their leaves of absence. With the western school teachers there were 70 from this city and 14 students from Belmont college, Nashville, Tenn., who sailed for Europe in June. They were to have been back a week ago last Saturday as in a number of cases the schools opened last week.

Their one excuse is that they were having such a good time that if they had come home on the schedule they would have missed a tour to Ireland, which all of them decided to take.

This large delegation of school teachers contributed most of the first cabin list of the *Calabria*. In the cabin considerably more than half of the passengers were attractive young women.

INSANE NEGROES ESCAPE

Make Daring Leap From High Window at Government Hospital.

Washington, Sept. 13.—Three negro criminal inmates, one a murderer, made a desperate and successful dash for liberty from the government hospital for the insane last night. They tore from its fastenings a stout guard rail and made a daring leap from a high window. Armed men are now scouring the woods for them.

Shoots Wife, Daughter and Self.

San Francisco, Sept. 13.—Mrs. Charlotte Levy and her 5-year-old daughter Marian were shot and seriously wounded last night by the husband, Ferdinand Levy, a wholesale liquor dealer who then ended his life by blowing out his brains. Mrs. Levy is in a critical condition. It is believed the child will recover.

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AMUSEMENTS

At the Grand.

The attraction at the Grand tonight is "The Blind Organist," a melodrama at popular prices, which is making its first appearance in Topeka.

Tomorrow night the famous drama and human interest play "Humming Birds," will be played at the Grand.

George Fawcett will appear at the Grand Wednesday and Thursday nights in the big success, "The Great John Ganton." The production enjoyed a remarkable run at the Lyric in New York city last season, and this is the first time the play has been produced by a road company. "The Great John Ganton" is not dissimilar to the "Lion and the Mouse" in that it brings to light a splendid reproduction of industrial conditions. The setting of the play is the Chicago stock yards.

At the Majestic.

The North Bros. Co. open the second week of the season at the Majestic tonight in "The Hair to the Hoorah." The entire company of twenty-five will be seen in this production, which is a much better play than "Zips" in which the company achieved success and popularity last week. The Chicago Ladies' Orchestra will furnish a half hour's program before the rise of the curtain.

At the Novelty.

A strong vaudeville bill has been secured for the Novelty this week, which comprises the following good acts: Luttringer & Lucas, in a com-

edy sketch; Risley & Remo, acrobats; Joseph St. Claire, harp soloist; McGloin & Shelley, singing and dancing; the Two Ingrams, jugglers, Hazel Kaiser, Novelty stock singer; and the Novel-scope, life motion pictures.

TO HONOR SHERMAN.

Will Be Distinguished Guest at Missouri Republican Club.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 13.—Vice President James S. Sherman, who is in Kansas City on business, will tonight be the guest of the Missouri Republican club at a public reception at the Coates House. One thousand invitations have been issued and many prominent Republicans from throughout Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma will be present. The vice president expects to leave Kansas City tomorrow for his home in Utica, N. Y.

A FLYING OMNIBUS.

Franchise Is Asked for One in Paris.

Paris, Sept. 13.—Francis Lauro, a French engineer and inventor, announces the invention of a flying omnibus capable of transporting merchandise and passengers and he has officially asked the municipal council to grant him a franchise for the city of Paris. He claims to have obtained French patents, but explains he is unable to reveal the details of his machine pending acquisition of foreign patents.

FEARED SUFFRAGETTES.

Police Guard Premier Asquith While He Played Golf.

London, Sept. 13.—Owing to his fear of the suffragettes Premier Asquith was guarded while playing over the Littlestone links yesterday by five policemen in plain clothes, under command of a Scotland Yard officer. The premier and his opponent, with their two caddies and half a dozen guardians, made an imposing body as they strolled around the course, the presence of a "gallery" probably put the players off their game, for it took them more than three hours to complete the round.

Sailors Save Money.

Washington, Sept. 13.—The popular impression that sailors spend all their money they receive from Uncle Sam, is dissipated by statistics compiled by Paymaster Jere Maupin. His record shows that 7,700 men are saving and 6,300 are helping to support their families, almost \$2,000,000 being assigned for the former purpose and \$1,500,000 for the latter.

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